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Inventor(s): **James Rist**

For:

**BILL ACCEPTOR FOR A GAMING MACHINE**

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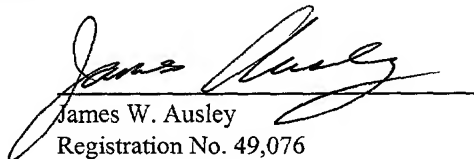
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